

MOTION BY SUPERVISOR ZEV YAROSLAVSKY

JULY 29, 2003

In response to my Motion of July 8, 2003, the Chief Administrative Office (CAO) is negotiating a contract with the California Youth Authority to house minors that the Court deems are not appropriate for a juvenile facility. Such minors currently are detained at Men’s Central Jail (MCJ). The CAO expects a contract with CYA for housing, education, recreation and social and mental health services to be executed by mid-September. In light of the concerns raised by the Board of Corrections, as well as community advocates, it is important to take interim corrective actions to improve the conditions of minors detained in MCJ until they are moved to CYA. The Sheriff has indicated that he can double the time that minors spend out of their cells at MCJ and allow the minors more time for recreation, if he is provided with overtime funding for two additional Deputy Sheriffs.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors authorize the CAO to reallocate \$54,000 from appropriation for contingencies to the Sheriff’s custody budget in order to cover the overtime costs of two additional Deputy Sheriffs to allow minors detained in MCJ to have more time out of their cells.

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